

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

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MELISSA WILSON., *et al.*, individually  
and on behalf of all others similarly  
situated,

*Plaintiffs,*

v.

WENDY LONG, *et al.*,

*Defendants.*

Civil Action No. 3:14-CV-01492

Judge William L. Campbell, Jr.  
Magistrate Judge Newbern

**AGREED ORDER AMENDING PRIOR ORDER  
AWARDING ATTORNEYS' FEES AND EXPENSES**


On January 28, 2020, this Court awarded Plaintiffs \$352,300 in attorneys' fees and \$2,630.92 in expenses. (Doc. 287). Defendants appealed the award to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit. (Doc. 288; Appellate Case No. 14-6191). To avoid the uncertainty of appeal, the parties have negotiated an agreement by which the Plaintiffs have accepted a five percent (5%) reduction in the fees awarded by this Court. The Court hereby approves the parties' settlement and amends its Order of January 28, 2020 (Doc. 287) to conform to the parties' settlement.

Accordingly, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the Court's Order of January 28, 2020 (Doc. 287) is amended to reflect that Defendants shall pay the following: costs in the amount of \$2,630.92 to the Southern Poverty Law Center; attorneys' fees in the amount of \$203,361.75 to the Tennessee Justice Center; attorneys' fees in the amount of \$76,028.50 to the Southern

Poverty Law Center; and attorneys' fees in the amount of \$55,294.75 to the National Health Law Program.

It is further hereby **ORDERED** that the Defendants may not cite or rely upon this Order or the negotiated reduction in opposing any future fee application or the amount of any such application by the Plaintiffs' counsel in any other case.

It is so **ORDERED** this 4th day of December, 2020.

  
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WILLIAM L. CAMPBELL, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE